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HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT CO., LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION. MESSRS. SHEWAN & CO. have been appointed AGENTS for the Sale of all Articles hitherto supplied by the above C. EWENS. Liquidator.

Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. ZELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

MEM ROOKS WHITAKER'S ALMANACK Tor 1896 HAZELL'S ANNUAL for 1896. Manuel de Langue Mandrine on Recueil Idéologique en Chinois, Français, et Anglais. Par A. Théophile Piry. With Bost and Gun in the Yangtze Velley, Edited by T. H. Wads. Ironclads in Action -A Sketch of Naval War-

fare from 1855 to 1895, by H. W. Wilson, Chess Novelties, by H. E. Bird. Casa Braccio, by F. Marion Crawford. Lawn Tennis. by W. Baddeley. The Rebel, by Helen Mathers. The Benefit of The Doubt, by Arthur W

The Heart of Life, by W. H. Mallock. Expedition of Captain Flick, by Fergus Hume. His Father's Son, by Brander Mathews. The Bounder, His Book. The Red Badge of Cournge, by Stephen

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FOR THE MAIL THE HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS WILL be ready To-MORROW and will contain :--Leading Articles :--

Mandarin Arrogance. The Decline in Interest Rates. Admiral Makaroff's Collision Buffer. The Chinese Chamber of Commerce. The Tonkin Transit Trade. Chang Chih-tung.

Publication of the Chamber of Commerce Minutes. Accident to the steamer On Sang. Admiral Makaroff's Collision Buffer, Bulkheads. The West River Question. Reports of another Rising at Canton.

The Reported Cession of Lappa to Ger-Fire in Queen's Road West. What is Prepared Opium? Breach of the Passenger Regulations. Diocesan School and Orphanage. St. John's Cathedral.

Proposed Celebration of the London Mission Contenary Co., Limited. Hongkong Ice Co., Limited.

Kowloon Land and Building Co., Limited Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Lime 1. West Point Building Co., Limited. The Kebao Coal Mines. Cricket. A Chinaman Punished for Solling Land

to Foreigners. Royal Hongkong Yacht Club. Correspondence. Local and District News. Subscription \$12 per Annum, payable in ad

vance ; postage \$2. Extra copies 80 cents each, Cash. Hongkong, 29th January, 1896.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND

TAIWANFOO. THE Company's Steamship "THALES," Captain Bathurst, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 30th inst., at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI. HE Steamship

"SINGAN." Captain Price, will be despatched TO-MOR-ROW the 30th inst., at 8 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, 29th January, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI. HE Steamship

Captain Blackburne, will be despatched TO. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, 29th January, 1896.

Captain Sommorville, will be despatched on SUNDAY, the 2nd February

Hongkong, 29th January, 1896.

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HE Steamship THEKLA Captain E. Christianson, will be despatched for the above ports on WEDNESDAY, the 5th February, at NOON, instead of as previously ad.

For Preight, apply to SIEMESEN & CO. Agents. Hongkong, 28th January, 1896.

TOORTLAND OFMEN J. B. WHITE & BROS. SOLD AGENTS FOR CHINA

Hongkong 11th April, 1889

ENTERTAINMENT

CITY HALL.

L ONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC Will give two Performances of TRIAL BY JURY!

"CREATURES OF IMPULSE" SATURDAY, 8th FEBRUARY, 1896. MONDAY, 10th FEBRUARY, 1896.

TICKETS can be obtained at the THEATLE ROYAL on and after MONDAY, the 3rd FEB-RUARY, at 10 A.M. BOOKING OFFICE open each day from 10 a.m.

Prices \$3, \$2, and \$1. The Public are reminded that NO CHITS WILL BE TAKEN at the Booking Office. LATE TRAMS 15 minutes after each Per-

ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that the SEVENTHORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, TO MORROW (THURSDAY). the 30th JANUARY, 1896, at 12 o'clock (NOON) for the Purpose of Receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the Twelve Months ending 31st **DECEMBER**, 1895.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 25th JANUARY, to THURSDAY, 30th JANUARY, 1896 (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Lund Investment and Azenev Co. Limited. Agents for the Kowloon Land and Building Company. Limited. Hongkong, 17th January, 1896.

HONGKONG CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LIMITED

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HALF-YEARLY MEETING of The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED from the 18th to 31st instant

inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. T. ARNOLD. Secretary. Hongkong, 13th January, 1896.

PANY, LIMITED. the Board of Directors, together with the

Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st DECEMBER, 1895... The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 27th JANUARY to MONDAY, the 3rd FEBRUARY, 1896 (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

and Agency Company, Limited, Company, Limited. Hongkong 17th January, 1896.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED FIFTEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE General Managers. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPAN

will be CLOSED from the 25th instant to the 5th proxime, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., · General Managers. Hongkong, 22nd January, 1896.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TWENTY SEVENTH ORDIN-HOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 3, Queen's Road CENTRAL, Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the 19th FEBRUARY, at Twelve o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1895. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 19th

idem, both days inclusive. By Order. GEO. L. TOMLIN. Acting Scoretary

THE SIXTH ANNUAL MEETING of HONGKONG AND SOUTH MASONIC BENEVOLENCE [323] FUND CORPORATION will be held at 27th proximo, both days inclusive. the MASONIC HALL TO-DAY (WEDNES. DAY), the 29th inst, at 5.30 r.m. A. O'D. GOURDIN.

Secretary Hongkong, 27th January, 1896. INSURE

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Lives there a man with soul so dead. Who never to himself has said, I must protect my loving wife, And so I must assure my life. I would not be a soulless boor, Who dies and leaves his family poor. I'll pay a premium every year, And then my loved ones need not fear But what when I am in my grave, They'll have far more than I can save: Or if when old I living be, The money will provide for me, And an old age, serone and bright

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J. T. HAMILTON.

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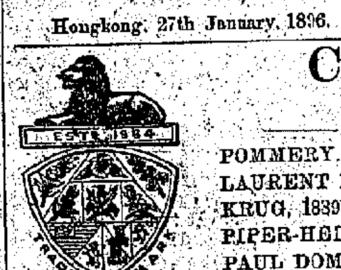
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ING CORPORATION. NTOTICE is hereby given that the OR. DINARY HALF-YEARLY MEET ING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORATION will be held at the CITY HALL,

Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the fifteenth day of FEBRUARY, next at Noon, for the Purpose of Receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1895. By Order of the Court of Directors, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK. ING CORPORATION.

NOTICE: is hereby given that the RE-GISTERS of SHARES. of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED SATURDAY, the first, to the fifteenth day of FEBRUARY next (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY SEVENTH ORDIN-LARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company A will be held at the OFFICES of the COMPANY, held PEDDER'S STREET, On THURSDAY, the DAY, the 20th instant, at 5 for 5.30 P.M. 27th proximo, at Noon, to receive a Statement | precisely. Visiting Sir Knights are cordially of Accounts to 31st December, 1895, and the invited to attend. Report of the General Managers, and to Elect | Hongkong, 21st January, 1896. a Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

PANY will be CLOSED from the 14th to the JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited

Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. NOTICE OF FIRMS.

TOPICE is beroby given that Mr. ALFRED F.O. KRAUSS. Mr. PHILIPP BERNHARD

BOHMACKER retired from Our Firm on 31st December. 1895, and that Mr. PRIEDRICH CARL PAUL Mr. CHARLES ERNEST RAYNER, Mr. GUSTAT ADOLPH DEGENER have To day been admitted PARTNERS.

HAMRURO 1st January, 1896. OHINA ) CARLOWITZ & CO. NUTIUE FIGHE Interest and Responsibility of the late;

HONORONG)

DAVID MONERIEFF WRIGHT in the firm of D. MONCRIEFF WRIGHT Chased on the 31st day of DECEMBER, 1894, TARBOLINEUM.AVENABIUS since which date the Firm has been carried on by ROBERT JOHN HASTINGS poor his own

LESSONS IN FRENCH. and EASY METHOD OF LEARNING FRENCH in a Few Months, mainly by Conversation, by a French-

Care of Office of this Paper. Hongkong, 4th January, 1896.

JURY LIST, 1896.

Consolidation Ordinanco," No. 18 of 1887, I have on the 23rd instant caused to be posted, at the chief entrance to the Court House, a List of all Persons ascertained by me to be liable to The said List will remain so posted until the 5th proximo in order that any person may apply by notice in writing to me requiring that his name or the name of some other person may be respectively either added to or struck off

F. A. HAZELAND, Acting Registrar Registry, Supreme Court, Hongkong, 23rd January, 1896.

REGULAR MEETING of the VICat the FREEMASONS HALL, TO-

REGULAR CONVOCATION FRIDAY, the 31st inst., at 5 for 5.30 P.M. precisely. Visiting Companions are cordially

invited to attend. Hongkong, 27th January, 1896. ZETLAND

REGULAR MEETING of ZETLAND LODGE will be held at the FREEMAsons' HALL on SATURDAY, the 1st February, at 8.30 for 9 P M producty Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. WANTED

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(THURSDAY), the 30th JANUARY, 1896, at 3 o'clock P.M. at the Promises. "WELLBURN" MOUNT KELLETT ROAD,

Mr. G. P. LAMMERT, Audioneer, ALL THAT piece of Ground situate at the Peak between Mount Kellett and Aberdeen New Road, Hongkong, abutting North on Government Ground and measuring thereon 88 feet, South on Government Ground and measuring thereon 128 feat, East on Government Ground immediately adjoining Abordeon Road and measuring thereon 274 feet, and West on Government Ground immediately adjoining Mount Kellett Road and measuring thereon 245 feet, containing in the whole 27,500 Square

Feet registered in the Land-Office as RUILAL BUILDING LOT No. 57 TOGETHER with the Capital Messuage or Tenement erected thereon known as "WELL- invited for the purpose of presenting BURN, consisting of A BASEMENT 7 feet

FLOOR.-Drawing Room, Dining Room, 3 Bed Rooms with Bath Room, attached to each Bath Room, and a Drying Room recently | Hongkong. OUTOFFICES, consisting of Kitchen, Boys'.

Hold for the residue of a term of 75 Years from the 8th February, 1898, subject to the payment of the Annual Crown Rent of \$64 per formed for the purpose of making the Presentaannum and to the performance of the Crown tions-Covenants to be performed in respect thereof. Subject also to the annual payment of \$1 per annum to the Government being rent for encreachment approach Road to the said Lot on the North side thereof from Aberdoen Road. Subject also to the existing Lease from the let day of April, 1895, for a term of Two Years at the monthly rental of \$110, exclusive

The Messuage has only recently been reroofed and thoroughly repaired, and is well protected from Typhouns, facing South. The Lot is situate in one of the best parts of the Peak, having an uninterrupted view the Village of Aberdeen and Bay immediately beneath and extensive views of the Sea and Islands in the distance. For Further Particulars and Conditions of MATTHEW J. D. STEPHENS. Vendor's Solicitor,

18, Bank Buildings, Hongkong, G. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneor. Duddell Street, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 22nd January, 1896. PUBLIC AUCTION. MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received.
Instructions from the Montes and . Instructions from the Mortgages

FRIDAY, the 31st day of JANUARY, 1896, at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon at the Premises, SECTIONS L. O. and T of Marine Let No. 90, and Sections B and E of Marine Lot No. 91 with the Houses known as Nos. 3, 17, 19, 21, and 23, Ts2 Mi Alley and Nos. 115 and 116, The Premises are held for the residue of a term of 999 Years. Annual Crown Rent £3 10s.

PUBLIC AUCTION

Conditions of Sale and Further Particulars may be had on application to J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1896. PUBLIC AUCTION VALUABLE POSTAGE STAMPS.

THE Undersigned has received Instructions PUBLIC AUCTION ... SATURDAY, the 1st FEBRUARY, 1896, Commencing at 2.30 P.M.,

at his SALES ROOMS, DUDDELL STEEET, A FINE COLLECTION OF POSTAGE STAMPS. RARE STAMPS from all Parts of the Globe and a specially fine Lot of Old and Rare PEST of Everything in the EAST SHANGHAI STAMPS, &c., &c. Stamps are now on View. Catalogues at the Undersigned s

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SATURDAY, the 1st day of FEBRUARY, 1896; at 3 P.M. On the Spot.
The Several LOTS numbered 1 to 18 on Plan to be seen at the Auctioneer's Rooms, for erection of Booths and Matalieds on the Government Ground adjoining the Race Course, North of the Grand Stand Enclosure. Terms Cash For conditions of Sale,

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Hongkong, 24th January, 1896. THE HONGKONG STAMP DEPOT. DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND COLONIAL STAMPS 8, D'Agnilar Street

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DR. CANTLIE. CUBSCRIPTIONS not to exceed \$5 are some suitable Testimonial to Dr. CANTLIE on his departure from the Colony in recognition of services rendered to the Community puring his residence of some nine years in

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> The Hon. T. H. WHITE Mr. H. N. Mody. Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C. C. MURRAY ADAMSON, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer. Hongkong, 23rd January, 1896.

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Hongkong. 2nd September, 1895.

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[234 Hongkong, 10th January, 1896

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. Jan. 27. Apowa, British str., 1,347, D. Owons, Salgon 22nd Jan., Rice. STRMEREN & Co. Jan. 27, FOORBANG, British str., 991, H. Anderson. Wuhn and Chinklang 23rd Jan., Gene-TAL JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Jan, 27, Picciola, German steamer, 762, Hays Salgon 22nd Jan., Rice, -MELCHERS & Co. Jan. 28, PESHAWUE, British steamer, 2,327, F.

Jan. 28, Kaneu, British str., 1,158, Sommerville Chabieng 23rd January, General.— Butteerikid & Swike. Jan. 28, Atrute, British steamer, 2,340, Keck. Sydney 4th Jan., General.—GIBB, LIV-INGSTON & Co. Jan. 28, EMPRESS OF INDIA, British str., 3,003,

Cole, Shanghai 25th January, Mails and General P. & O. S. N. Co.

H. Pybus, Vancouver 8th Jan., Mails and General - C. P. R. Co. Jan. 28. THALES, British str., 820, Bathurst. Taiwanfoo 24th Jan. Amoy 25th, and Swatow 27th, General. DOUGLAS LAPRAIN

Jan. 28, ARGYLL, British steamer, 1,886, W. S. Dundan, Kutchinotzu 23rd Jan., Coal. Dodwert & Co. Jan 28. KWANGLEE, Chinese str., 1,505. Lincoln. Shanghai 25th Jan., General. - C. M. S. N. Co.

CHINESE CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 28th January. Phra Chom Klao, British str., for Swatow. Michael Jebsen, German str., for Touron.

DEPARTURES. Jan. 28, Hailoone, British str., for Swatow. Jan. 28, Smith, Chinese str. for Shanghai. Jan. 28 FOOKSANG, British str., for Cunton. Jan. 28. KANSU. British str., for Canton.

ARRIVED. Per Peshawar, str., from Shanghai for Hongkong.-Mrs. Place, Miss R. Place, Messrs, D. Souter, Tong Chewan, and Nigg. For London. -Mr. and Mrs. Colin M. Ford, Miss Lennox, Mr. and Mrs. Tomkinson, 2 children and infant. Miss Thirgood, and Mr. Champion. Per Airlie, str., from Sydney, Ac. Misses Thoys. Tunnicliffe, and Lawrence, Messrs. Thoys, Haves and Mallock. Per Empress of India, str., from Vancouver-Mr. and Mrs. R. Scott, Mrs. Kusa Sobe, Mr. and Mrs. Dangerfield, Lieut. H. Lamb, Messrs. J. G. Gibson, S. Shimiza, Andrews, F. W. Hammond, R.N., S. Komor, F.M. Stein, L. D. Stein,

Per Kwanglee, str., from Shanghai—Miss Dircks, Mr. Feir. VISITORS AT HOTELS. Hongkone Hotel. Mr. J. W. Kinghorn Mr. A. W. Looker Mr. H. W. Andrews-

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FROM OCTOBER 15TH, 1894, UNTIL FUETHER NOTICE.

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BIRTH. On the 18th inst, at Santa Ana, Manila, the wife of WALTER A: FITTON (néc CAMERON), of a

MARRIAGE.

At the Government Civil Hospital, on the 28th instant, Dr. OKOTINE, Staff Surgeon, H. 2.J.M. At the General Hospital, Shanghai, on the 22s of January, 1896, Horatio C. W. Court, son Major-General Court, aged 33 years.

Hongkong, January 29th, 1896. THE letter from a Member of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce which appeared in our yesterday's issue, while it may perhaps be taken as showing that there was no desire on the part of the general body of members to exhibit disrespect towards Her Majesty's Government, does not place Mr. Ho AMEI's conduct in connection with the opening ceremony in any more favourable light than that in which it previously appeared. No general meeting of the members was held, the trustees taking upon themselves the entire responsibility of the arrangements. The trustees are Mr. Ho AMEI, Hon. Dr. Ho KAI, Mr. LI SHING, and Mr. WEI Yuk. The last named however, has for some time past ceased to take any active | weather was met with, during which several of interest in the institution and his name did not appear on the invitation cards. These ter was deshed on the deck and fractured his cards, issued in the names of the other three trustees, after stating the date fixed for the opening, said "You are invited to attend "and worship the god of war, wearing your "official robes." How Dr. Ho Kat-could have allowed his name to appear on such the French Government to the Consulates an invitation we do not understand, mentioned opposite their names. All except events he did not attend the arranged entirely by Mr. Ho AMEL We are informed that it was not originally the leading part in the ceremony, but as he put in an appearance, being a subscriber to (probably at Tameni). the Chamber, he was asked to officiate The original intention was that one of the Chinese mercantile community should have steamers. They have all been snugly housed in the Chinese community present and the their families at a time when they usually expect Opium Farmers, and far reaching words had and that it is worked, even at the present small general feeling towards the new institution to have a fuller share of that enjoyment than is been introduced into the interpretation clause. Scale, at an expense of about 20s. per ton, which seems to be one of indifference. It would therefore be unfair to hold them as a body they will get back to Shanghai and their homes propuring it, and that all opium that had been ing were on a much larger scale, it might Africaresponsible for the proceedings at the opening, which should rather be regarded as a private "show" of Mr. Ho AMEI'S. The spirit by which that gentleman is actuated is Nagasaks Expres, a woman suffering from some had made a mistake or thought he was acting made unless the working be on a great scale. clearly displayed in the letter he addressed mysterious complaint was brought from Nikhi bond fide. some days ago to one of our svening contemperaries, especially in his succe at Dr. been ill for the past three years. After a lew | tin of extract was stolen from Mr. Watter pre-Ho KAI and Mr. WET YUE for "ignoring

men named, though of Chinese race, are

ledgment of that fact Mr. Ho AMEX comes forward to sneer at them for so doing, showing thereby the feelings by which he himself is animated towards British rule. to the Governor having been ignored connection with the opening ceremony, Mr. Ho AMEI endeavours to throw the responsibility on Dr. Ho KAT. The latter of discretion and common sense in the affair. but that does not relieve Mr. Ho AMEL of his. have said this, that, or the other, but Mr. knew better than Mr. Ho Amer himself House, bought direct at first hand, imported in what was the right and proper course to when they are apparently similar to the unwood and bottled by ourselves, thus saving all pursue in the circumstances and it is no use practised eye. intermediate profits, and enabling us to supply his trying to throw on other people the responsibility for a wrong course having been pursued.

The steamer Riversdale has been sold to a

The winner of the Acrostic Competition is Captain A. G. Ferguson, R.B.

"The Gondoliers" has been very successfully placed on the stage by the Shanghai Amatour. Dramatic Club.

Her Majesty the Empress of Japan has been pleased to send, through Sir Ernest Satow, the British Minister at Tokyo, the sum of 1,000 yen towards the Edgar Relief Fund.

on the afternoon of the 27th Jan. and may be product of the juice of the grape and are expected here on or about the 2nd February. The Grand Hotel, Limited (Yokohama). proposes to pay a dividend of ten per cent. for the

post half year and to carry forward to new

account \$6,248. \$15,000 has been written off We have been requested to state that owing to the number of engagements fixed during next week, Signorina Belinfanto has decided to postpone her ballad concert previously announced

or the 6th proximo. A new weekly paper has made its appearance at Shanghai entitled The Union. It is popular, and is pronounced by the best primarily a temperance organ; but in addition to temperance notes gives a good supply of local and general news.

> At the regular meeting of the United Mark Lodge on Saturday night Wor. Bro. W. M. B. Arthur was elected as Worshipful Master, Bro. R. Grimble as treasurer, and Bro. Maxwell as janitor for the ensuing year.

Board of Revenue, has memorialised the Threne as if there had never been any trouble. in favour of mints in Peking for the purpose of students have nearly all left and on the 3rd of coining dollars and small coins with foreign the 12th moon the Hsichtai leaves for Hsian. machinery similar to that at Canton and Wu- At present the military students are finishing

The Crown land in Wongneichong Road which was sold by auction on Monday aftermoon is just beyond the cometery and it is be- the Customs and others will regret to learn of. lieved that the purchaser, Mr. U Yuk Chi. the death of Mr. Horatio C. W. Court. The intends to erect thereon a tea-house and lay deceased had been in hospital for some time and out a garden for Chinese:

The N. C. Daily News says:—It is stated on good authority that the Germans are to have a concession here on the south bank of the Socchow Creek, between the gasworks (Pei-sin-za) and Alpha Farm; while it is supposed that the Japanese concession is to be somewhere south of the French concession.

A Second telegram of the 16th January says: Many officials in the rural districts object so strongly to the decree ordering them to get their hair out that they are unceremoniously giving up their posts and going into retirement At Won-ju in Kang Wen Do a rising has occurred in consequence of popular autipathy. to the new sumptuary order.

[311 buying and wharf building that is going on. says it believes that even now the Consular au-On the 17th January, at Christ Church, Yoko- thorities have under their consideration the ques tion whether the Settlements shall be extended JOHN KENNEDY TRAFFORD, to MAUD MARY to the point five miles from the Bund or to Woosung, about ten miles from the Bund.

> We regret to learn that Dr. Okotine, of the Russian flagship Imperator Nicolai I. who was left behind in the Government Civil Hospital seriously ill when his vessel left, died early vesterday morning. H.E. Admiral Buller has ordered that naval honours are to be accorded at the funeral of the deceased officer, which is to take place this morning, the cortege leaving the Royal Naval Hospital at 10 a.m.

It is reported in native official circles at Shanghai that owing to the Japanese Government claiming jurisdiction—over Chinese, in Japan the ex-Viceroy Li has inserted a clause for neace. in the new Commercial Trenty, now being discossed at Peking, giving a corresponding privilere to China so far as Japanese are concerned The Japanese Minister refuses to consent to this clause, in consequence of which the negotiations are at a standstill.

A Tokyo, press despatch states that the Japanese Government has been asked for subsidy in favour of the company now forming in New York, with a capital of 10 millio dollars, to lay a telegraph cable from America to Japan. A representative of the company is already on his way hither. Tf Canada and Australia also realise their cable project with British assistance a keen trans-Pacific competition will presently commence.

We regret to hear that a couple of fata casualties occurred on board the U.S.S. Baltimore between Yokohama and Honolulu. Heavy the boats were smashed and the wheel and binnsole carried away. Mr. Cooper, the carpenskull, while Mr. Jessen, the captain of the forecastle, was washed overboard and lost. Several others of the craw were injured to a greater or less extent.—Rising Sun.

We (China Gazette) are informed that the following gentlemen have been appointed by the last two have been in China for several tears and are proficient Chinese scholars. which seems to have been Monsleurs Hass, to be Consul at Chungking, d'Anty. Consul at Semao : Giullien, Vice-Consul at Lungchow, Boudry, Vice Consul in Formosn

> The Peking and Tientsin Times says :- There is no change in the position of the ice-bound men on board who are missing the society of the revenue of the colony derived from the Rank mine yields por ton gold worth about 35s. permitted during the hard runding of the rest It explained that the Ordinance could not be de. includes a comparatively great proportion of of the year have our sympathics, and we trust fied by half preparing the stuff or by partly administration charges. Probably, if the workearlier than appearances justify expectation of subjected to any degree of artificial heat was be worked at a cost of about 10s. a ton, and COMMERCIAL FEDNEATION OF THE EMPIRE

Sonogi Gun to the Medical School at Urakami. She was about forty-five years of age and has weeks' medical treatment by Dr. Kurimoto, the mises and no doubt it was sold to the Opium a hundred head of stamps, an electric plant, woman died, and at a post morten examination Farmers. But the main point was whether this and a railway. Raub would yield 36,000 ounces. "their Chinese parentage by styling them- the carious fact was disclosed that all the principated opium. He submitted it was of gold yearly. That would be worth 140,000 "selves British subjects." The two gentle pal internal organs were placed in a most not, as opium, to be described as such, must pounds a year. The working expenses are at unusual manner. The heart was on the right contain at least ten per cent. of morphine, present about 120,000 dollars a year, and need side instead of the left, the liver was where whereas in this case the morphine was very not, it is said, rise beyond \$200,000 a year-or. natural born British subjects, having been the spleen is usually found, the latter being at difficult to find and no reasonable person would say 20,000 pounds. The margin of profit by that born in Hongkong, and their allegisnee is the right of the stomach instead of at the left have purchased the stuff as opium. Mr. Watte sanguine calculation is therefore to be £120,000 due to Her Majesty the Queen. When they do be half turned from right to left or deem it necessary to make a public acknow- from from to back.

A year, allowing a dividend of about 12s. a Baron Hammerstein, ex-leader of the Contact of the Contact of the London and Didinburgh and he had been arrested in London and Didinburgh and he had been year on sach of the 190,000 contribut. At Athens on a charge of forgery and fraud.

On the 11th James free broke out at the cotics. He seted quits only and housetly as residence of Mr. won Spits at Tientsin. Two he had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the Opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the opins Farmers and asked pay for the cost of the new plant, which is the had been to the opins Farmers and asked pay for the new plant, whic cismiss the summons.

It is ordained officially says the Northern | His Worship The dendant in this case Territory Times, that Chinese returning to the is charged under section with having in Territory will in the future be subjected to the his possession prepared cum within the mean-"rule of thumb." That is to say, when a China- ing of the Ordinance, the is, opium which had man takes out an exemption certificate he will been subjected to some dree of artificial heat. seems to have acted with a singular lack on the certificate, and when he returns from the content went to the defidant's premises and pence a mouth over eight separate months. Flowery Land he will have to make another bought 11 lbs of whi is called vegetable the lines of the thumb to distinguish the difference between one impression and another.

The Northern Territory Times of the 17th January says:-Mr. T. J. Burke, the dealer who recently went through to the East with a mob of horses, is a passenger homewards by the steamer Ocampo. From a conversation with the gentleman we gather, that he is not very well pleased with the result of his attempt to open up a trade with Japan. Apart from the terrible mortality that occurred on the way to Hongkong, he had the additional disappointment to find on his arrival at Kobe that the Jananese were not at all eager to trade, and would be buyers only at their own figure. That, we are told, was a price that implied the horses were stolen, being just about enough to cover feed and freight. Finally, the small lot was got rid of at a figure that under the circumstances was better than nothing. The trade may expand in time if worked up carefully and persistently, but just now the Japanese show no. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tantalus, from interest in the trade, and Mr. Burke is of the Manchester and Liverpool, left Singapore opinion that he could sell more horses in a week months in Japan.

The Ichang correspondent of the N. C. Daily News, writing on the 14th January says :-- All is quiet with us here. The boasts of the students of immediate destruction of the foreigners. came to nothing. For some days after the riot affairs were very strained, but the extreme vigilance of the officials and the beating of few loafers quieted things down. The Chinaman who is said to have fired the sliot that killed the weiguan has not been given up to the Chinese authorities, much to their disgust. He has been ordered from the Admiral to be tried by the Civil Court and if that Court Ichang cannot decide, the case to be referred to the Supreme Court in Slianghai. The day for trial was fixed here, but the Chinese authorities sent no representative as plaintiff, and the case fell through. The brother of the weiguan came up from Kinking and has been most reasonable in his talk over the case. Soldiers are still camped about the settlement, and guards are stationed at every chapel in the city. After being kept out o the city for some time the missionaries are going in as usual again and doing their work. H.E. Weng Tung-ho, as President of the On the street they are treated quite respectfully, their examination.

The Shanghai Mercury of the 22nd inst rays :- Many members of the outdoor staff had latterly undergone an operation, which however, was unable to save him. The deceased had led a singularly wild and adventurous life, which no doubt hastoned his end. He was the son of Major-General Court, of the British Army, and those who have read Dr. Morrison's book "An Australian in China" will remember that be draws attention to the deceased, though he does not mention his name, by stating that he was the son of a Major-General and the nephew of a Marquis. Deceased was also. recognised as the hero of a short tale entitled " A Tidewaiter's Story " which appeared in the Mercury last April. Deceased was, we believe, a graduate of Caius College, Cambridge, and served as a Lieutenaut in a British cavalry regiment in India. He left the army, entered he Indian Civil Service, which he quitted to go to Australia, where he entered the British army The Mercury, in the course of an article on as a private and attained the rank of sergeant. the future of Shanghai and the extensive land | He possessed three medals for services. Eventually he entered the Chinese Customs at Amoy and was removed to a Yangtsze station, from whence he proceeded to Kangyan as drill instructor, and he entered the general hospital some time ago suffering from his liver.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."] LONDON, 26th January THE REPORTED BUSSO-TURKISH

TREATY. The conclusion of a treaty between Russia and Turkey is denied. THE ITALIANS IN ABYSSINIA.

The Italians have evacuated Makaleh with arms and munitions. King Menelik is treating THE POLITICAL HORIZON. Mr. Chamberlain speaking at Birmingham

said that there were signs of the political storm abating, and that Gormany's unexpected and unprovoked hostility was passing away.

WHAT IS PREPARED OPTUM

At the Magistracy yesterday, before Mr. Sercombe Smith, the hearing was concluded l'a summons against Messrs. Watts and Co. Ice House Street, for having in their possession, on he 10th January, 11 lbs. of prepared opium without a valid certificate for the same. Opium Farmers, and Mr. Grist appeared for confirmed. the defence.

Mr. Dennys. in addressing the Magistrate.

reviewed the evidence given on the previous

occasions, and said that a man named Lum gentlemen. Sum Yan, had conclusively proved that he went to Mr. Watts and purchased from him a large mantity of stuff called "Vegetable Extract." It was sold practically on condition that it should be taken to Canton, as it was against the law that it should be sald here. The man took it down to the Canton steamer wharf and was followed by an excise officer. Mr. F. Browns, the assistant analyst at the Government Civil Hospital, had analysed a sample of the vegetable extract and he swere positively that it was opium and had been subjected to a degree of artificial. heat. He said he found meconic soid. narcotine, and a small quantity of morphine in it. Evidently the opium had been used for the less very extensive trade in this prepared opium and fore the stuff was not opium within the medical propaged opium for the purposes of the Ordin. | certain calculations put the cost at very much ance. He asked his Worship to inflict a heavy

You ever went into the defendants' office. One of stemps and an electric power plant

be required to make an impression of his thumb. It is proved to my satisation that an excise share would mean, at least, an actual call of six-

no two persons show an impression exactly morphine, narcotine, at meconic soid. Mr. for 6s. 2d. a share of cell. These shares command Ho AMEI was not bound to act upon his slike. Our contemporary adds that it would Browne further said at meconic coid and a sale at \$4.10. The holders of the fully paid advice or suggestions and in fact no one probably require a scientific person well up in according are substance to be found only in shares are naturally anxious that the mine should quium. That being so am compelled to hold be developed by a substantial call for the purpose don. in reference to the charges against him that this vegetable extint is only and as Mr. of putting to new machinery. Holders of contri-Browne swore that therpinm had been sub- butory shares may not be so eager. At one time, jected to some degree cartificial heat for some they said in substance. "We don't very much be-purpose it comes withit he meaning of the lieve in this mine; it is rather a miserable low-Ordinance, which saysthat prepared opium grade thing as compared with what we were is "opium subjected tony degree of artificial induced to expect, but if you can develop it out heat for any purpose Although there is of your profits of course you may do so. actual evidence licre me as to Mr. as the contributory shures are in the porportion Watts's course of buness and conduct in of nearly three contributory shares to one fully the matter I take a licent view of the case paid up share, they have the command of the and content myself with finding that this situation in their hands. The position is further vegetable extract is impared opium as defined complicated by the fact that, although the by the Ordinance, and shall inflict a nominal management of the mine is in Singapore and through being run over by a train at Chiewick.

Watts to pay the costs.

BREACH OF THE PASSENGER REGULATIONS.

by section 2 of Ordinance 21 of 1895.

nese passengers for Sigapore on the 14th September last. The shp had no passenger Prospecting Company has much auriferous land Inspector Hanson said-About five a.m. on

at Jardine's Wharf, Paya West, as she Straits Times. was being cast of. I sw the chief officer and told him I had ome on board to count the passengers. He pointed to some men on the top of the fore hatch with bedding and clothing. I counted welve and they possessed return tickets to Singapore issued by Siemsson and Co. On causing the removal of the after hatch. I saw the tween decks occupied by a crowd of men. I had them sent up on deck. I asked the captain, whom I had sent for, to witness the counting. During the count. ing he was very impatient and said "I went to get away. I must get away. I'll give you a letter to my agents, who will be responsible for 30th, the net profits were \$6,696,486, an increase any fine incurred by me." I counted seventy- of \$771.619 over the same period last year. seven passengers who produced tickets and THE NEW YORK "WORLD" AND THE PRINCE nineteen who had no tickets. Defendant said "What shall I do?" I said "You have

already broken the law, but I can give you the advice that it will be better for you not to go to sea, because, although t will make no difference in the penalty, you have no life saving apparatus for all these people in case of accident." I found that the seventy-seven passengers had paid for passages and had been furnished with bogus tickets. The fare to Singapore is \$7.

at the agents' office in the customery way. I obtained mastery over impulse. The World told the cook he had better see the first mate | thanks you for the wise and hold words spoken and ask him about them as he was the man at so critical a time. It is also becoming to who collected the tickets. I did not know acknowledge with profound respect the eloquent killed or injured. whether the tickets had been sent to the agents' and impressive messages of concord and smity office or not. He did not go to the first mate | received by the World from Cardinal Logue, have informed me. On the afternoon of the Cardinal Vaughan, Archbishop of Westminster, 14th September I went ashore to sign the last Dr. Walsh, Archbishop of Dublin; Lord Plunbills of lading. I returned on board at 2 am kett, Archbishop of Dublin and Kildare, the officers. and immediately went to sleep. Then the In- Archbishop of Armagh, the bishop of Lonspector came on board between 5 and 6 o'clock. don, Liverpool, Manchester, and Chester; Mr. When I asked the first officer how the Gladstone and Lord Rosebery. It is hoped he had delivered them to the cook. I said "Good gracious, how could you do such a thing? I did not give you any-orders." He said cook told me you had told him to see me." The cook, it appears, waited till I went ashore before going to the first mate. I would not have received a cent per head for these passengers. His Worship inflicted a fine of \$200 and \$2

for each passenger in excess-\$392 altogether. HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENA CO., LIMITED.

An extraordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Brick and Coment Co., Limited, was held at the registered office, 9. Praya Central, vesterday at noon. Mr. R. Shewan presided and there were also present—Messrs. W. H. Potts, W. Shewan, C. A. Tomes, A. G. Stokes, S. S. Benjamin, J. S. Watte, F. J. Jorge G. H. Potts, C. M. Adamson, and W. A. Duff

The SECRETARY read the notice calling the meeting, which was for the purpose of confirming the following as a special resolution-"That the Hongkong Brick and Cement. Company, Limited, he wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Ordinances 1865 to 1890. And that Creasy Ewens, of Victoria, in the colony of Hongkong, be and he is hereby appointed liquidator for the purposes

The CHAIRMAN-Gentlemen, you have heard the object of this meeting, which is to confirm the resolution just read. I propose that the resolution passed at the extraordinary general Mr. Dennys prosecuted on behalf of the meeting held on the 11th January be now Mr. Benjamin seconded.

Carried. The CHAIRMAN-That is all the business.

THE FUTURE OF RAUB.

The Raub mine in Pahang is a low grade mine. If it had been surmised that it were low grade mine, it never would have been opened. The enterprise was started on the basis of grossly untruthful reports. These persuaded the public that at Raub, in Pahang, there could be established a high grade mine yielding perhaps three onness to the ton. The mine in fact, yields less than half an ounce to the That is a low outturn: an outturn than that of the South African Dantremer, Vice Consul at Hankew; Bons purpose of preparing morphine, and unusual mines, but, nevertheless, it is an out-suggestions of the Ottawa Conference, respecttests had to be applied before the existence of turn that might yield a gigantic profit ing steamship communication, have resulted in at Hokon, Kahn, Vice-Consul at Toughing de the morphine could be discovered. His Wor- if only there be enough quarts and if the the announcement by the Imperial authorities intended that Colonel Chan should take Pomoyrao, Vice-Consul at Chefoo; Degong, ship could only come to the conclusion after mine be worked, as the manager desires, of their willingness to grant a substantial sub-Vice-Consul at Pakhoi; Francois, Vice-Consul hearing this evidence that the defendant had on a gigantic scale. The great advantage vention towards the Atlantic portion of the been carrying on or attempting to carry on a possessed by the Rand mine is cheap labour, schemo. This will I trust ensure the success The labour employed is Chinese, which is paid ful establishment of a line of steamers between relying upon the fact that because a great por. at the rate of some six or seven shillings a week the United Kingdom and Canada, which in tion of the morphine had been extracted there. as against one pound storling a week that the point of speed and equipment shall fully meet Kaffirs receive, and the Chinaman is probably a all requirements. My Government have also sense of the word. But his Worship had no better worker than the Kaffir Transport, learned with satisfaction that it is the intention played the principal part in offering with mats, for protection from the cold, against thing to do with the meaning of oplum as given again, although at first it offered great difficult of the Secretary of State for the Colonies to obeisunce to the god, but when Colonel CHAN Build. We hear that one or two of their officers opium was a preparation containing about 20 simplified that it also is much more economical Pacific cable to connect Canada with Australunexpectedly appeared precedence was are availing themselves of the opportunity to per cent of morphine. The Opium Ordinance that at the South African mines. Broadly estagiven to the latter. There were very few of visit Peking and its surroundings. The married was passed for the protection of that portion of speaking, the case is that the quartz from the

> less. There is, therefore, a large margin for Towards the latter and of last month, says the penulty as it was not a case where Mr. Watts profit but there is no substantial profit to be That is seen by My. Bibby, the manager, and Mr. Grist dezned that the man Lum Sum He nake to be allowed to put in a hundred head of 1,000 guineas offered by that journal for

theres at present marked 13s. 10d. paid, raising States, last night. A panic ensued amongst the their nominal value to 17s, 10d, and leaving them. liable for 2s. 2d more. The call, by the articles of association, which are of Australian manufacture, cannot exceed sixpence a month, and therefore an intention to call four shillings per-

It is to be noted now that there are two dijust like the original or go home again. In extract. Mr. Browne, he assistant analyst vergent interests to be consulted. There are France, where this system is much in vogue, at the Government CiviHospital, said that he the holders of fully paid-up shares which at prapersonal responsibility. Dr. Ho KAI may it is declared to be an infallible means of identifi- had analysed a sample of the wegetable extract sent command a price of \$74 each, and there are cation, scientists going so far as to assert that bought on the 10th Japany, and it contained the holders of contributing shares who are liable onalty of \$10.

Malaya, the directing body and the place of Mr. Dennys saked hi Worship to order Mr. voting are in Australia. The ultimateresult of such a call would, on the calculations supplied His Worship pointecout that the Ordinance to us, be exceedingly good for the contribuwould allow no more han \$5 for costs. He tory shareholders, and it would be still better had no further power o he would give the pro- for the fully paid-up shareholders; but, in the

meantime, one does not know how the contributory shareholders will take calls of four shillings a share. That is how the matter stands, and it may be a little while before things are adjusted. It would, of course, be exceedingly desirable for Palisng that the calls should be made At the Police Court esterday, before Mr. T. and that the results should be as we have effect that unless Lord James's award be accombe Smith, Captin Von Binzer, master sketched. The Pahang Government takes five cepted within a week work will be resumed with of the steamship Bellan, was summoned for per cent. of all the gold raised, which means attempting to leave the waters of the colony that Ranb alone might yield a substanwith ninety six passengers in excess of the tial revenue. Further, a mine that was paying number allowed by his pet clearance, contrary | steadily, fifty per cent. per annum on a not to section 6 of Ordinance26 of 1891, as amended uninflated capital would no doubt attract other mining adventurers into a field where it an-A clerk from the Hrbour Master's office pears that a profit of £100,000 a year is to be said that the defendant leared for twelve Chi- had so easily. A hundred thousand pounds a year is worth taking and the Malay Peninsula

> Raub. Who will be first in the new rush to Pahnng P the land where golden apples grow !-THE CANADIAN MAIL

The following telegrams are from Capadian papers received by the C. P. steamer Empress THE CANADIAN-PACIFIC BAILWAY.

Montreal, 28th December. The Canadian Pscific Railway not profits for November were \$1.008.066, an increase of \$192.408, over the some month last year. For the eleven months of 1895, ending November OF WALES.

London, 30th December His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales authorises the publication of the following acknowproprietor of the New York World, of the message which his Royal Highness and the Duke of York sent to the World through Sir Francis Knollys. Private Secretary to the Prince; hoping that the differences between the United States and Great Britain on the Venezuelan question The defendant said—On the morning before | would be amicably settled :- "New York, Dec. intended to leave—14th September—the cook | 28th, 1885. To His Royal Highness the Prince of came to me and asked me if I could give him Wales, Sandringham, England-Your Christtickets he wanted, because as far as I know the appreciated, and had important effect. The so-called cooks' tickets were already delivered reaction is almost complete. Conscience has believe, because if he had the latter would Primate of Ireland (who cabled from Rome); copie came by their tickets he said here that the logic of this unprecedented expression of kindliness of the greatest dignita ries of Church and State may yet lead to the arbitration of a dispute so trivial that it could remain unsettled for seventy years. Surely among all the scholars, statesmen, and rulers of the world, there must be one who as arbitrator. will meet the suggestion of Lord Salisbury that he should be competent and free from bias The surest hope of lasting peace rests upo the enlightened moral sentiment which yo have voiced, and which, we feel, shapes the course of government in England, not than in America, and continues the progress civilisation. Joseph Pulitzer for the World."

THE "TIMES" SAYS WE ARE EDADY TO PIGHT London, 7th January The Times in an editorial this morning again reminds the United States that "whether we have troubles in Europe, and Africa or not, we will not yield on the Venezuelan question. W have insulted nobody, but if we are compelled to fight we shall be ready to guard what worth fighting for."

PROTECTION FOR MARRIED WOMEN. London, 4th January. The new act for the protection of married women went into effect on Wednesday last and on the Thursday following there were six ap plications under its provisions. The justice whom the applications were made explained that wives could leave their husbands and claim maintenance, but he added the act afforded no remedy for women living with their husbands Among the applicants was a married man seeking relief from a dissipated wife. Th magistrate explained that the act had not been passed for the purpose of relieving husbands. THE "STRATHERVIS" AND THE "MIOWERA Vancouver, 5th January.

A despatch was received from Port Townsend yesterday morning that a life buoy, bearing the name of the Micwera, has been picked up in Neah Bay. Of course, it may have been torn off when the Strathnevis' hawsers parted but nevertheless, it has increased the fears to the Mioweru. Nows from the same source says a boat from the Strathnevis, in which Purser McDonald and two of the crew tried to reach the shore to telegraph for assistance, has been found on the

rocks near Cape Flattery. McDonald and the crow undoubtedly perished. THE CANADIAN ATLANTIC LINE AND THE PACIFIC CABLE. Ottowa, 2nd January In his speech from the Throne, Lord Aber deen said :- I am happy to inform you that the

representations of my Government, and the

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL. The following telegrams are from Australian

papers received by the E. and A. steamer THE "STATIST'S" PEIZE OF 1,000

GUINEAS. London, 28th December. The proprietors of the Status have received 78 easays in the competition for the prize the best scheme of an Imperial Customs Union. Several of the essays sent in are from the London, 2nd January.

prize of 1,000 guiness offered by the proprietors action of Dr. Jameson. of the Statist for the best scheme of an Imperial Customa Union is 187. CHARGE AGAINST A GERMAN BARON. London, 29th December,

audience, and in the rush for the doors 24 persons were killed and 40 injured. GERMANT AND AUSTRIA

London, 30th December. Prince Victor Hohenlohe, the German Imperial Chambellon is at present on a mission to The circumstance has given rise to much comment as to the cause of the Chancellor's visit to the Austrian capital.

ME. BAYABD'S BOINBURGH SPRECH. London, 29th December. The Foreign Committee of the United States House of Representatives has reported in favour of Mr. Hayard, United States Minister in Lonbased on his recent speech in Edinbugh, in which he criticised the protective policy of the United States. The House adopted the report. MR. GLADSTONE.

London, 29th December. Mr. Gladstone has started for Biarrits, where he will spend the winter. He has written another letter denouncing the Sultan of Turkey. THE LATE M. STEPNIAK. London, 30th December

The funeral of the late M. Stepniak, th The body was cremated at Waking, in Kent cheered the British. Numerous speeches were delivered in enlogy of the deceased patriot. THE LONDON POOR.

London. 30th Decomber. A dinner has been given to 700 poor children at Batterses. The funds were provided by the children of South Australia. THE SHIPBUILDING STRIKE AT BELFAST. The shipbuilding, employers at Belfast It is reported that there are 8.000 free labourers ready to fill the vacant positions.

PRANCE AND BRAZIL. London. 31st December. filibustering expedition, under a Por- an easy proy district of Amara, in Brazil, elaimed by the French as belonging to French Guiana. they have seized. to offer at a nominal price in the district of

NEW YORK SUICIDE CLUB. London, 30th December. Another member of the New York Suicide Club, the discovery of the existence of which recently caused a sensation in that city, has committed suicide. This makes the eighth member who has taken

THE BRADFORD WOOL MARKET. London, 30th December -The American crisis has not affected the Bradford wool market. There is a good inquiry, and the tone is hopeful. DEATH OF AN ACTRESS.

London, 81st December. The death is announced of Mrs. Sterling, the THE SCULLING CHAMPIONSHIP.

London, 31st December. Arrangements have been made for the match between J. Stanbury, of New South Wales, and C. R. Harding, of England, for the champion ship of the world and 2500 a side, to be rowed ledgment sent last week by Mr. Joseph Pulitzer, over the Thames championship course on 18th REPUBLIC OF COLOMBIA.

London, 81st December. The Spanish Minister in the Republic Colombia. South America, has been expelled by the Government from Borota, the capital, for having protested against the treatment of Mr. Jenner. the British Minister and Consul-General who was accused of having an interest cooks' tickets. I asked him what kind of mus message of peace and goodwill was deeply in a claim made by a London firm of contractors against the Colombian authorities.

COLLIERY EXPLOSION IN PRUSSIA. London, Sist December. A terrible explosion has occurred in a colliery at Urangel, Prussia. Fifty miners were either Kruger's Drop, a manifeste was issued by Pre-GERMAN BAST AFRICA.

London, 31st December. Major von Wissman, who was recently appointed Governor of German East Africa, is about to retire owing to quarrels with his GROUNDING OF A CUNARD LINER.

London, 2nd January. songers were landed in safety. The vessel got off again and has reached Holyhead. Her hull is seriously injured.

ASHANTEE TO BE ANNEXED. London, 2nd January Colonel Sir F. Scott, the commandant of the British expedition to Coomassie, has informed a local chief that the British Government intends annex Ashantee. MRS. PARNELL DECLARED INSANE.

London, 2nd January, Mrs. Delia Stewart Parnell, mother of the ate Mr. Charles Stewart Parnell, the famous Irish National leader, has been declared to b insane, and has been placed as a hospital for the insane at New York. ORE DETAILS OF THE TRANSVAAL INCIDENT London. 31st December. The Uitlanders in the Transvaal are greatly divided as to the course to be pursued to obtain their demands. The Timer correspondent telegraphs that the majority of the Uitlanders

are opposed to war. lat January. In response to an urgent appeal from the eading residents of Johannesburg for the pro ection of life and property of thousands marmed British men and women, Dr. H. L. Jameson, the Administrator in the British South Africa Company's Territory, entered the Transvaal on Sunday last at the head of 700 riflemen with six Maxim and other guns. He s expected at Johannesburg on Thursday. The oros carries four days provisions. On the news of the British administrator

advanca reaching London, Mr. Chamberlain Secretary of State for the Colonies, who was staying in the provinces, hastened to the metropolis and despatched an urgent cablegram direct ing Dr. Jameson to return to Mafeking, in It is feared that the message will not read Jr. Jameson before he arrives at Johannesburg whence no news has been received since Sunday

t is believed that the wires have been cut. Mr. Chamberlain has cabled to President Cruger urging him to prevent a conflict, and offering the co-operation of Great Britain, i cessary in maintaining Deace. President Kruger is mobilising the Boer forces. He has appealed to the French and German Consuls for support. It is expected that the Uitlanders will stitute 25 corps of 200 troops each, armed with rifles and a few Maxim guns. General P. J. Joubert, the Transval Commandant will control 1,000 Boer rifles, with plenty of Maxim guns, There will also be

reserve force of 5,000 Boers: The press condemns the action of Dr. Jameson, the British Administrator, and says that his entrance into the Transvani at the head of troops was not warranted, unless he was aware that a conflict had commenced or that a rising had taken place on the goldfields. London, let January. President Krüger informed Sir Hercules Robinson, Governor of Cape Colony, and

Dr. Jameson's invasion of the Transval. Sir.

Hercules Robinson at once ordered the immediate

withdrawal of the force under Dr. Jameson. Mr. Coul Rhodes, the Premier of Cape stand as regards the rights of Great Britain in Colony, states that he did not authorise Dr. Jameson to enter the Transveel territory, but, on the contrary, tried to prevent him doing so. Birmingham manufacturers have sent within the past three months to the Transvan 20,000 Enfield and 2000 Mortin Henry and Suider The German prees demands that the Berlin | which will have the effect of adding immensely

Mr. Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, has officially stated that, in conjunction | cabled Lord Salisbury expressing sympathy with Sir Hercules Robinson, he is taking every means to avert the serious results which may The total number of essays sent in for the be expected to arise from the extraordinary Sir Heronies Robinson, through the medium

Sir Jacobus A. de Wet, K.C.M.G., the British Agent at Pretoria, has left Johannesburg to intercept Dr. Jameson, and to order him to

Mr. Chamberlain accuses Dr. Jameson of outting the telegraph wires.

Dr. Jameson has written to the Commandant. stating that he had no hostile intentions in entering Transveal territory, but that he was simply advancing to assist the Uitlanders on the Rand goldfields to obtain justice and their rights as citizens.

Telegrams from Pretoria state that an additional 300 men of the British South Africa Company's forces have crossed the frontier. A rising has occurred at Johannesburg, but no details are yet to hand. The feeling in Berlin is excited and angry. The press is urging the Government to in-

The English press applands the prompt action taken by Mr. Chamberlain to avert Germany has asked Great Britain to define the steps to be taken to check the movements of the force under Dr. Jameson.

The German residents in Johannesburg have held a meeting, at which they bitterly condemned the proposal to support President Kruger in the present crisis. Popular feeling in Holland is furious. At Johannesburg on Saturday last the audience

at the theatre made an anti-Boer demonstration during the playing of the Dutch National Anthem. The audience rising in their seats, The Australian residents at Johannesburg have formed horse and foot companies. At a meeting

in connection with the movement the National Anthem was sung. The British South Africa Company will hold a meeting in London to day for the purpose of considering an imperative letter from Mr. Chamberlain demanding that the company shall

have repudiate the action of Dr. Jameson, the company's Administrator in Mushonaland. London, 2nd January. A private letter repaired from Buluwayo, the nital of Mashonsland, written in November, says .- "There is talk of the English taking the Transvenl. A corps of the Chartered Company's forces, with 10 guns, has gone south, with secret orders. The Transvaal would fall

Mr. Cecil Rhodes, the Premier of Cape Colony and chairman of the British South Africa Company, protests that he had no pre-The filibusters are fortifying the country vious knowledge of the intentions of Dr. Sir Hercules Robinson has ordered all the

officers who are with Dr. Jameson's forces to It is reported that the Queen has ordered the Duke of Fife to resign his seat on the board i the Chartered Company. The Duke of Fife denies the report that the Queen had ordered him to resign the director.

ship of the British South Africa Company. 3rd January + The messengers despatched by Sir Hercules Robinson overtook Dr. Jameson beyond Eland's River. Dr. Jameson disregarded the High Commissioner's orders for his recall, and contimed his march, carrying the British flag. Before Sir Jacobus A. de Wet, K.C.M.G., the British Agent at Pretoria, could arrive from Johannesburg, fighting commenced at Kruger's Drop on Wednesday afternoon, between the

Boers and the Chartered Company's force under Dr. Jameson. Dr. Jameson's force was driven from several of its positions. The Boers captured 42 prisoners half of whom were wounded in the engagement. The number included three officers. 3rd January, 12.20 p.m. A force of volunteers of all nations, numberng 1,000 men, has been organised at Johanneshurg to not with the police.

The German and French residents have cabled to Berlin and Paris respectively for There is immense jubilation in France and Germany over the defeat of Dr. Jameson's force by the Boers.

A heavy fall has taken place in South African securities on the London Stock Exchange... Before the fighting which took place between Dr. Jameson's contingent and the Boers at sident Kruger in which he promised to submit the grievances of the Uitlanders to the Volksraad if a request to that effect was made in a proper manner.

The lighting between Dr. Jameson's force and he Boers continued antil the Boers were reinforced, and Dr. Jameson's contingent was surrounded by a large Boer force close to Kruger's The Cunard liner, Cephalonia, went aground | Drop. Dr. Jameson was compelled to surrender. Mr. Chamborlain, Secretary of State for the

Colonies, has cabled to Sir Hercules. Robinson.

directing him to proceed to Pretoria immediate-

y with the riow of securing the generous treatment of the men of Dr. Jameson's force taken prisoners by the Boers, and to see that the wounded are properly cared for. Sir Hercules Robinson was also directed to try and arrange a peaceful settlement of the existing difficulty. Intense excitement prevails at Johannesburg, though no disposition was shown towards seisting Dr. Jameson. A run on the local banks has taken place. President Kruger has been informed that a

further incursion of the Chartered Company's troops into the Transvaal is projected. It is also reported that a Kaffir force commands the frontier of Bechuspaland, and that a strong detachment of troops belonging to the Orange Free State commands the Vasl River, ready to assist the Boers." The German press is assuming a menaning tone. It asserts that the Transvasi is indepen-The Times in commenting on the conflict

petween Dr. Jameson's force and the Boers. aggests that the fighting may have been an accidental skirmish, and that Dr. Jameson's surrender was voluntary, the probability being that on Dr. Jameson finding that the Uitlanders on the Rand goldfield did not require the protection of his police, he yielded to the Boer The British South Africa Company held a

meeting in London yesterday for the purpose of onsidering an imperative letter from Mr. Chamberlain demanding that the Company shall repudiate the action of Dr. Jameson the Company's Administrator in Mashonaland. The chairman of the Company was authorised to cable to Dr. Jameson dissenting from his inration of the Transvasl. An Agent for the Transvaal Government has proceeded to Berlin to request the enlistment of German military officers for the Boer army. He has also been instructed to place orders for a supply of machine gane. The Times this morning publishes a telegram

stating that a meeting of 2,000 Australian residents at Johannesburg was held on Saturday last to discuss the situation. The proceedings were orderly. The meeting decided not to take any part in the impending revolution. DISCRIMINATION AGAINST BRITISH INDUSTRY IN THE TRANSVAAL

London 30th December In connection with a Government contract for electric lighting in Pretoriathe Government inserted a clause forbidding the use of plant manufactured in England. London, 7th January London, 7th January.
The German press denies Great Britain has any claim to suzerainty over the Transvaal

The Secretary of State for the Colonies asserts that England does possess such rights, and will British High Commissioner in South Africa of firmly insist on maintaining her position. The English press unanimously supports the views of the Colonial Secretary The Marquis of Salisbury is taking a firm

> the Pransvasi London, 13th January The Queen has written to the Right How. J. Chamberlain Secretary of State for the Colonies, thanking him for his judicious cotion during recent developments. Action is being taken by the Government

authorities should take immediate steps to pro to the strength of the British fleet within the teot the interests of the Germans in the Trans shortest possible time. Sydney. 14th January The Premier of New South Wales, acting on behalf of all the colonies of Australesia has with the mother country in the matter of the Fransysal, embroilment, offering Australian help if needed, and assuring him of the high appreciation of the stand taken by the home Government in its endeavours to defend the

integrity of the British Empire. of the press of Protoris and Johannesburg, has Sydney, 16th Jennary. enjoined the British inhabitants to refrain from aiding or countenancing the action of Dr. The Marquis of Salisbury has replied to the Jameson, and to remain quiet and obey the law cable from Australia, stating that the frankly Friendly parleyings are being carried on he. expressed approval and goodwill of the colonists.

tween Mr. Chamberlain and President Kruger, in estimated at its true value and has materially

strongthened the Government in its determina. | January .... DEPARTURES. 18, Clars, Gorman str., for Hangkong. tion to maintain the rights of the Empire. 18 Zafiro, British str., for Hongkong. GREAT BEITAIN AND AMERICA AND THE 19. Formosa, British str., for Swatow. VENEZURLAN QUESTION. 10, Kwong Mo, British str., for Tament London, 27th December. The receipt in the United States of the mes-20 Namos, British str., for Swatow. sage of peace and goodwill from the Prince of 20. Thales, British str., for Telwanico. 20, Namyong, British str., for Straits. Wales has evoked a cordial response on the part of the American people. The general opinion recognises it as of real public service. 20, Siehan, British str., for Straits. 20. Japan. British str., for Hongkong: 20 Achilles, British str., for Hongkong. The report that Lord Salisbury approved of 21, Sabine Rickmers, German str., for H'kong. the action of the Prince of Wales has produced 21. Hailoong, British str., for Tameni. s deep impression. 21, Cheang Hock Kian, Brit. str., for Straits. President Crespo, head of the Republic of 21. At cona, German oruiser, for Manila. Venezuela, reviewed a patriotic procession at 22. Tientsin, British str., for Shanghai. Caracas yesterday. Senor Castello, the Venezueian-Minister for the Interior, has declared that not an inch of COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE territory shall be yielded until it has been con-28th December. TUESDAY, 28th January. The financial crisis in the United States over-CLOSING QUOTATIONS. whelms the "jingo" feeling. EXCHANGE London, 30th December. On LONDON.— A British chartered company is being formed in British Guiana to work that part of the ter-ritory claimed by Venezuela, lying between Es-sequibe and the Schomburg boundary line. It is probable that Brazil and other South American republics will join Venezuels should DocumentaryBills, 4months sight 2/21 war break out between that country and Great PARIS.-Britain over the boundary question. Bank Bills, on demand The Washington correspondent of the Times reports that a large body of the American Credits, at 4 months' sight......2.75 Roberts. GERNANY. people is averse to peace, and adds that the On demand.... cituation still wears a throatening aspect. Pre-NEW YORK. sident Cleveland is bent on pursuing his policy Bank Bills, on demand to the bitter end. Crodits, 60 days' night. London, 31st December. BOMBAY. Mr. H. M. Stanley, M.P. for Lambeth North, advocates the appointment of a European Com-Bank, on demand ..... CALCUTTA. territory in dispute between Venezuela and British Gulena. Senator Sherman declares that President SHANGHAL -Cleveland's definition of the Monroe destrine is Bank, at sight correct. He hints that Great Britain Will not support Lord Balisbury's refusal to agree arbitration ON YOKOHAMA. On demand ..... Senator Sherman's speech caused much ex-ON MANILA. citement among the "jingo" senators.

The Senate agreed to a resolution to the effect On demand ...... 7 % pm N SINGAPORE. that Mr. Hilary A. Herbort, Secretary to the On demand United States Navy, he asked whether it would Sovenerons, Bank's Buying Bate .. 9.14 not be advisable to build six new warships, in-stead of two as is intended. : It is reported that asyndicate, headed by Mr. Pierpont Morgan, of the firm of Messra. Drexel, Morgan and Co., New York bankers, JOINT STOCK SHARES. has taken up 100,000,000dol, worth of bonds. PAID UP QUOTATIONS. COMPANY. Venezuela is making large purchases of war . [**\$**350 nom. supplies from the United States. \$125 180 p. ct. prem., == Hongkong & Shan German: The Canadian public is profoundly aroused China & Japan, pri.
Do. .ordinary by the existing orisis between Great Britain £1 10s. nominal and America, and resolutely demands that the £1 £2, buyers Do. deferred Government shall formulate an adequate scheme Natl. Bank of China of defence, with the appointment of British \$27, collers B. Shares ..... \$105, sellers officers in the command of the forces of the Fonn. Shares... \$10, sellers Bell's Asbestos E. A.... Dominion. \$5. sellers London, 31st December. Brown & Co., H. G. .. The Venezuelans are fortifying the harbour \$3. buyers Campbell, Moore & Co. of Maracaibo, situated at the head of an inlet of the Carribean Sea. Several members of the Venezuelan Chamber | Chinese Loan 85 E. ... Tis. 250 | 10 p. ct. prem. Dakin, Cruicks'k & Co. of Deputies have left Caracas, the capital of the republic, with the view of arranging a South Fenwick & Co., Geo. ... American alliance against Great Britsin. Green Island Coment... London, 1st January. \$6.50, sellers H. Brick and Cement... It is reported that the syndicate headed by \$36 H. & C. Bakery Mr. Pierpont Morgan, of the firm of Messrs. \$100. buvers Drexel Morgan and Co., New York bankers, Hongkong Electric ... \$6.75, solicis. will supply to the United States Treasury H. H. I. Tramways ... \$84 ex div., sellers between 5,000,000 and 10,000,000 ounces of gold Hongkong Hotel ..... 319. buyers \$101 at the option of the Government, in exchange Hongkong Ice ....... \$474, sales for 4 per cent bonds. It is believed that the H. & K. Wharf & G... \$150, sellers bonds will be issued at 105, and that the com-Hongkong Rope..... 149 p. ct. pren.== mission on the transaction will be 1 per cent. H. & W. Dock ...... [\$311.25, sellers The Rothschilds have refused to assist the Tasurances— \$50 | \$100, sellers : United States Treasury. China Fire .... It is not likely that any American bonds will \$74, sallers China Traders ... be offered in London. \$2874, s. & buye Hongkong Fire .... London, 1st January. £25 . Tls. 220. mles North-China -----There is a greatly improved feeling on the \$25, szles Straits ..... New York Exchange as the result of the issue \$197, seilers \$120 Ynrigisze ..... It is stated that the total subscription Eand and Building amounted to 150,000,000 dols. \$67, buyers H. Land Investment. Humphreys Estate... London, 2nd January. President Cleveland has appointed the Kowloon Land & B following members of the commission to define West Point Building the boundary of Venezuela and British Luzon Sugar ..... Guiana :- Chief Justice Alvey, of the district Mining-Charbonnages ...... Fcs. 500 \$75 of Columbia, Maryland; Mr. White, Re-\$5 \$2.75, buyers \$3 \$1.60, sellers publican; Mr. Condert, a Tammany Democrat; New Balmoral ..... Dr. Daniel Coit Gilman, president of the Punjom
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13s. 16d. \$4,75, buyers
13s. 16d. \$4, sellers 154,75, buyers Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore; and Mr. \$2.60, burera: David J. Brewer, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court, Weshington. earnshin Covs.---\$70, sales 850 China and Manila ... £5 \$50 \$20 China Shippers ... SHIPPING REPORTS. Douglas S. S. Co. \$51, sellers H., Canton and M... Indo-China S. N. The British steamer Adowa, from Ssigon 22nd \$45 eellers Jan. had strong to moderate head winds and Wanchai Wareh'se Co. \$10 \$111, wellers sea to lat. 14 N.; thence variable weather to port. Watson & Co., A. S ... CHATER & VERNON. Share Brokers The Chinese steamer Kwangles, from Shanghai 25th Jan., had light variable winds and dull OPIUM. allowance weather to Lammocks; thence to port freshening monsoon with dull weather. The British steamer Fooksang, from Wuhu and Chinkiang 23rd Jan., had light variable Patoa (New) winds with fine weather and smooth sea to Breaker Point; thence four hours fog with heavy Benares (Old)------\$770 From Chelang Point to port fine clear weather and smooth sea. HONGKONG TIDE TABLE. The British steamer Thales, from Taiwanfoo 24th Jan., Amoy 25th, and Swatow 27th, had 29th January to 4th February. fresh N.E. monsoon, overcast, some rain. In Amoy Strs. Tacoma, Tamenti, Wesaug, and Bio. LOW WATER HIGH WATER. German men-of-war Prinzess Wilhelm, Cormoran, and Illis. In Swatow-Stra. Lolisang, Loo-Height. sok, Wing Hong, and Tailer. The British steamer Airlie, from Sydney 4th Jan. Townsville 9th, Cooktown 10th, Thursday Island 13th, and Port Darwin 18th, experienced moderate to light easterly winds and fine weather to Thursday Island; strong N.W. winds with head squalls and rain to Port Darwin moderate to light veriable winds and fine weam 5 20 ther with smooth sea to Basilan Strait; fresh RENT PRIORS. to strong monsoon with head sea to Cabra; and thence to port light winds and smooth sea. . O. 42 a . 3 . 4 . The height of mean sea-level has been determined, from the tidal observations of 1887 and 1888, as 5.87 feet above zero of the tide-gadge at the Howleon Tidal Observatory; and the Lower-water Ordinary Spring-Tides, to which datum the heights in these Tables are rejerred, as 8.87 feet above zero. The heights in the Tables marked with a minus sign (—) are below hower-water Ordinary Spring-Tides, and should be subtracted from the constant given above. SHANGHAI SHIPPING AERIVALS. 19. Contest, British bark, from Nagasaki. 19. Dordogne, French str., from H kong, &c. 21. Kaifong, British str., from Hongkong. 21, Yungehing, Chinese str., from Swatow 21. Poochi, Chinese str., from Wenchow. 21, Choysang, British str., from Hongkong. 21, Pechili, British str., from Foodhow. THE WEATHER. 21. Leeynan, Chinese str., from Chefod. 21. Shengking, British str., from Amoy. CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL 1, Mathilde, German str., from Japan. REGISTER, 27th JANUARY, at 4 P.M. 21, B. P. Cheney, Brit. bk., from Puget Sound Per Paris Porce Con Porce Paris Porce Paris Porce Porc 21, Kobe Maru, Jap. str., from Nagasaki. 21. Lennor, British str., from Japan. 22, Taiwan, British str., from Hongkong 22, Karlaruhe, German str., from Bromen. 22, Yikeang, British str., from Canton. "DERMATOL" is the best Vulnerary; its 22. Irene. Chinese str., from Swatow. effect in stimulating the closing up of Wounds 22. Chefoe, British str., from Swatow. is described as amazing. 23, Kwanglee, Chinese str., from Hongkong. 23, Chingping, Chinese str., from Hongkong. Nagasaki ..... 29,98 52 53 www 1 To be had at every reputed Chemist and 23, Diomed, British str., from Amoy. 6 6 B Supplies constantly on hand at the China Ex-24, Oseanien, French str., from H'kong, &c. port, Import, and Bank Co., Sole Agents for 24, Kashing, British str., from Swatow. 24, Wenchow, British str., from Hongkong. Beware of Spurious Imitations. [2687 Abollowurus 24, Produce, Norw. str., from Kutchinotzu. January- DEPARTURES. Gap Book 29.99 21, Borneo, British str., for Japan. 30.00 70 90 a 1 21, Soya Maro, Japanese str., for Weibaiwei 21, Kalgan, British str., for Amop. 21, Foochow, British str., for Hongkong. 22. Wuchang, British str., for Chefoo. 22. Paoting, British str., for Chinkiang. Manila ..... 29.92 88 57 6 1 b Cope S. James — — NE 3 b 22, Gisela, Austrian str., for Trieste. 28rs JANUARY, AT 10 A.W. 22, Lycemoon, German str., for Hongkong. 22, Taisang, British str., for Hongkong 22, Yungching, Chinese str., for Chinking. 22, Hainan, German str., for Moji. Shanghai .... 30 52 30 -- www 3 b Sharp Peak ... 30.44 47 59 2 7 of Amoy .... 30.86 54 74 KE 6 0 Swatow .... 30.28 55 80 ENE 6 0 23, Kiangpak, Chinese str., for Hongkong. 23, Myrmidon, British str., for Japan. 23, Pechili, British str., for Foochow. 23, Yiksang, British str., for Chefoo. 23, Kaifong, British str., for Wuhu. 24, Mathilde, German str., for Nagaski. 30.30 24, Irone, Chinese str., for Chinking. 24, Chefoo, British str., for Moji. aerated water which Art can supply, AMOY SHIPPING. January ARBIVALS.

19, Thales, British str., from Hongkong

19. Sishan, British str., from Hongkong,

, Princess Wilhelm, Ger. cr., from Nagasal

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Barometer, 4 P.M. 80,14 Therm 4 P.M. (Wetbulb) 57

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20, Plover, British gunboat, from Swatow.

20. Namos, British str., from Foochow,

20, Japan, British str., from Foodhow.

20, Dante, German str., from Hengkong

20, Achilles, British str., from Shanghal

20, Chiyoda, Japanese cr., from Kelung.

from Hongkong.

21 Hailoung, British str., from Hongkong.

21, Imperator Nicolai I., Russian ironclad,

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THE MITSUL BUSSAN KAISHA. 8. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL Hengkong, 30th December, 1895.

VESSELS EXPECTED.

THE PRENCH MAIL. The M. M. steamer Melbourne, with the French mail of the 3rd January, left Singapore on Saturday, the 25th inst, at midnight, and may be expected liere on or about Saturday, the lat February. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the

27th November. THE INDIAN MAIL. The steamer Kutsang, from Calcutta and Straits, left Singapore for this port on Satur-

day, the 25th inst., at 4 p.m. THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. chartered steamer Afridi, with the American mail, left San Francisco for this port via Yokohama and Nagasaki on the 11th MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The N. G. I. steamer Bisagno left Bombay

for this port on the 8th inst. and may be expected here to day. The D. D. B. steamer Oceana, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 21st inst., and may be expected here to-day. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tantalus, from Manchester and Liverpool, left Singapore on the afternoon of the 27th inst. and may be expected here on or about the 2nd February. The Ben " Line steamer Benmohr, from Leitli, Antwerp, and London, left Singapore

for this port on the 24th just.
The P. & O. steamer Robins Dit Bombay for this port on the 23rd inst The N. P. Co.'s steamer Victoria, from Tacoma arrived at Yokohama, and sailed for this port via the usual Japan ports of call on the 25th inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICE.

PEAR DELIVERY cluses at Post Office at 11.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in the Cars by 12 and 3:30 o'clock Trams. Letter Boxes at Poak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m.

The Postal Guide for 1895, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory. NET ANNUAL FIRE PREMIA..... £. 757,478 P. XX. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in

> A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Swatow.-Per Wing Hong, to-day, the 29th inst., at 8.30 A.M. For Bangkok,-Per Taichiow, to-day, the 29th inst. at 0.30 A.M. For Swatow and Shanghai .- Per Hangehow,

to-day, the 29th inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Yokohama and Kobe .- Per Bellona, today, the 29th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Manila .- Per Yuensang, to-day, the 29th inst. at 4.30 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Taiwaufoo.-Per Thales, to-day, the 29th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Hollow and Haiphour -- Per Ask. to-

For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.-Per pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at | Cosmopolit, to-morrow, the 30th inst., at 7.30 A.M. For Hoihow, Singapore, and Bangkok,-Per Keong Wai, to-morrow, the 30th inst., at [1360 | For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cook-

town, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, and Melbourge. Per Menmuer, to morrow, the 30th inst. at 9.30 A.M. For Singapore, Samarang, and Sourabaya .-Per Hinsang, to-morrow, the 30th inst., at

For Swatow and Shangkai.—Per Taisang, tomorrow: the 30th inst. at 3.30 P.M. For Shanghat -- Per Lyecmoon, te-morrow, the 30th inst., at 3.30 P.M.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—Per Death or Total Permanent Disablement by Verona, on Friday, the 31st inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Straits and Calcutta -Per Lightning, on Saturday, the 1st Feb., at 2.30 P.M. For Shanghai.—Per Daphne, on Saturday, For Singapore. -Per Thekla, on Wednesday,

the 5th Feb., at 10.30 A.M. For Singapore.—Per Glenesk, on Wednesday, the 5th Feb., at 3.30 P.M. For Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, B.C., and Tacoma (Wash.).-Per Victoria, on Tuesday, the 11th Feb., at 11.30 A.M.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Peshawur will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 30th January, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the mails, &c.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon.

The following hours will be observed in closing the mails for Europe, &c., by the English and Franch Packets, when they leave at Noor. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 r.m. the 8.00 A.M .- Posting of Prices Current and Cir-

(Prices Current and Circulars may, however, be rosted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles country by country, with the addresses all one way.) 10.00 A.M.—Registry coases. 10.30 A.M.—Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns ceases.

11.00 A.M.—Mail closes. LATE LEDRERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may be sent on board with the same late fee.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES

The United States Mail Packet Belgic will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 1st February, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States. Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows: 11.00 A.M. Registry ceases.
[1119 11.30 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence

may be posted on board the Pucket with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Karlsruhe will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 4th Feb. with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, vid Brindia; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta. &c., &c. Registry ceases at 8 A.M. The mail closes at 8.30 A.M.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. TheoFrench Contract Packet Natal will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 5th February, with Mails to the United King. dom, Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles; to Saigon Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Anstralasian Colonies. 138 Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.'S PACKET. The Canadian Mail Packet Empress of India will be despatched on WEDNESDAY the 19th February, with Mails for Shanghai

Japan, the United States, Canada, &c., which will be closed as follows:— 10.00 A.M. Registry ceases. 11.00 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence

may be posted on board the Packet with the Late Fee of 10 cents extra postage mutil time of departure.

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NTOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessely during their stay in Hongong Harbour:

Bonningron, Brit. str., N. D. Leighton-Dodwell, Carlill & Co. FALLODON HALL, Brit. str., Kilvert-Shewan HIGHLAND FOREST, Brit. bk., Dormody-Jardine, Matheson-& Co. JOHN R. KELLY, Amr. ship., Chapman-Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th instant will be subject to rent. All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 29th inst., or they will be not recognised. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godewns, where they will be examined on the 29th instant, at 3 r.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & CO.,

Hongkong, 23rd January, 1896. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

RAVENNA FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO, AND STRAITS... Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their goods are. being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each

consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed. This vessel brings on cargo :--From London, &c., ox s.s. Chusan and Arcadia. From Persian Gulf, ex s.s. Simla. Optional goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 10 A.M., To-MORROW, 26th-inst. Goods not cleared by the 1st prox. at 4 P.M. will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in ny case whatever. All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns and notice of same given to the undersigned on or before the 3rd prox., after which no claims will be recognised. . ALF. WOOLLEY, Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, 25th January, 1896. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

YTHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"HYDASPES," FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS.\_ Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark | cooding direct to Marseilles and London; other and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

This vessel brings on Cargo :-From Persian Gulf, ex B.I.S.N. Co. and Bombay Persian S.S. Co.'s steamers. Goods not cleared by the 1st prexime at 4 P.M. will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in of Lading. any case whatever. All damaged packages must be left in the

Godowns and notice of same given to the undersigned on or before the 3rd proximo, after which no claims will be recognised. ALF. WOOLLEY. Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, 25th January, 1896.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. HE Steamship

" LIGHTNING "... having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 29th instant will be landed

at Consignees' risk and expense into the godowns of the Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Co., Limited, Wanchai. Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORE and PENANG are requested to take IMME. DIATE delivery of their Goods from alongside. Such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by -DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO.

Hongkong, 25th January, 1896. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "BELLONA.

Captain von. Binzer, having arrived from the above ports, Consignoes of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowas of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods romaining undelivered after the 1st February will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are

to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 1st February, at 3 P.M. SIEMSSEN & CO. Hongkong 27th January, 1896.

VESSELS ON THEBERTH

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

(Following the S.S. "ANNANDALE" and S.S. "Teviotdale." FIHE Steamship "FALLODON HALL." Captain Kilvert, will be despatched for the

above port on or about the 23rd inst. For Freight, apply to -SHEWAN & CO. Hongkong, 6th January, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW AND SHANGHAL

THIE Steamship "HANGCHOW," Captain Bennett, will be despatched TO-DAY, the 29th inst., at S P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Agents. Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA DIRECT. MHE Company's Steamship.

"YUENSANG." Captain W. Waddilove, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the 29th inst., at 5 P.M. Type steamer has superior accommodation for First Class Passengers.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. General Managers. Hongkong, 27th January, 1896. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPONE, SAMARANG, AND SOURABAYA. HE Company's Steamship

"HINSANG." Captain J. Kynneh, will be despatched as above on or about TO MORROW, the 30th inst. For Freight of Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHEBON & CO., General Managers: Hongkong, 23rd January, 1896,

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE (Calling at PORT, DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to

ADDIAIDE, NEW ZUALAND,

TABMANIA &6.

HE Steamship

"MENMUIR," Captain Craig, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 29th inst., at Noon. This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber, which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions throughout the voyago. A Stowardess and a duly qualified Surgeon

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBH, LIVINGSTON & CO., Acouts. Hongkong, 23rd January, 1896. FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. HE Steamship

BELLONA." Captain von Binzer, will be despatched for the above ports TO-DAY, the 29th inst., at 4 P.M. For Freight, apply to SIEMSSEN & CO...

Hongkong, 27th January, 1896. FOR SHANGHAI. HE Stenmship

"LYEEMOON," Captain G. Henermann, will be despatched for the above port TO-MORROW, the 30th inst., For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, 27th January, 1896.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH, AND

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THROUGH BILLS OF LADING : ISSUED FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF, CONTINENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS. FILE Steamship

"PESHAWUR, Captain F. J. Cole, carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be desputched from this for Bom-BAY and LONDON on THURSDAY, the 30th JANUARY, at NOON, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports. This steamer connects at BOMBAY, with the S.S. "CARTH-AGE," which Vessel takes on her Cargo for LONDON via SUEZ CANAL, leaving that port on the 22nd FEBRUARY, 1896. Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and

Ten for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer procargo for London, &c., will be convoyed via Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 P.M. the day before sailing. The Contents and Value of all Packages are required. -Shippers are particularly requested to note

the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills For further Particulars, apply to ALF. WOOLLEY, Acting Superintendent. Hougkong, 18th January, 1896.

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY:

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VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. BELOIC (vie Nagasaki, ) SATURDAY, Feb. 1 Kobe, Inhaid Sea, and 1896, at Noon. Yokohama). COPTIC (via Nagusaki, ) Tuesday, March 3

Kobe, Inland Sea, 1896, at Noon. and Yokohama GAELIC (via Nagasaki.) SATURDAY, March Kobe, Inland Sea, Yo-kohama, and Honolulu) 21, 1896, at Noon.

WHE Company's Steamship "BELGIC will be dispatched for SAN FRAN-CISCO, via NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, and YOKOHAMA, on SATURDAY, the 1st FEBRUARY, 1896, at NOON, connection being made at Yokehama with Steamers from

Steamers of this line pass through the IN-LAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONO-LULU and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passenger Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and particulars of the various Routes may be obtained upon application.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to Enropean officials in service of China, and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Passengers who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to

All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the

Company's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-[122] timed to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Castoms, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 7. Praya Central. J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

Hongkong, 15th January, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY, AND MELBOURNE, MHE Company's Steamship

"CHINGTU," Captain R. Innes, will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 5th February, at DAY-

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer, First Class Baloon is situated forward of the Engines. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Bresh Provisions

during the entire voyage.

A duly qualified Surgeon is carried and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light. For Freight or Passage; noply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 29th January, 1806. FUR NEW YORK.

TIME 3/3 A.I.L American Ship "JOHN R KELLEY." Captain Chapman, having arrived, will load bord for the above port and will have quick despatch. For Freight apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO. Hongkong, 22nd November, 1835.

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING. to be despatched. POR PRESIGHT APPLY TO CAPTAIN. VESSEL & NAME DESTINATION. To-morrow, at Noon. P. & O. S. N. Co. Brit. str. Peshawur On Slat inst. Butterfield & Swire Harrey. Brit. str. LONDON VIA SUBZ CANAL. Achilles. On 5th Feb. Butterfield & Swire Palford Brit. str On or about 7th Feb LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. P. & O. S. N. Co. Brit. str. On or about 30th inet. LONDON YIA MARSEILLES. Holliday. Wise & Co Warrall Brit. str. On or about 16th Feb. LONDON VIA PORTE OF CALL. Kuisbw Brit, str. Palawan' Dodwoll, Carlill & Co. On 12th Feb. LONDON.... Davies . LONDON, HAMPURG & ANTWERP. HAVRE & H'BURG VIA STORE Marionethshire On 5th Fab., at Noon. Sicinssen & Co. Christians Ger. str February. Archold Karberg & Co. Ger. str. HAVRE, B'MEN, & H'BURG & S'PORT On 4th Peb., at 9 A.M. Dorothea Rickmers... Walter Ger, str. On or about 5th Feb BREMEN & PORTS OF CALL Karlaruhe... Jardine, Matheson & Co. Webster Brit. str. On 5th Feb, at Noon. MARSEILLES &L'DON V. S. CANA Messageries Maritimes VOLUM. Fren. sta MARSEILLES VIA SAIGON &C ... On 1th Peb. Megazories Maritimes. Preu, str On 19th Feb. at Noon. Dordogue... MARSEILLES. Cariadian Pacific R. Co. Empress of India VANCOUVER, VIA S'HAI, &C. On 11th Feb., at Noon. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. VICTORIA, B.C. &c., v. YHAMA... Brit. str. On 12th Feb. Shewan & Co. .. Brit. str. Mount Lebason HONOLULU. VICTORIA, R.C., &C. On 1st Fab., at Noon. O. & O. S. S. Co. Brit. str. On 8th Feb., at Noon, SAN FRANCISCO VIA Y'HAMA P. M. S. S. Co. Amer. str. SAN FRANCISCO YIA Y'BAMA Quick despatch. Shewan & Co. Brit. ship Brodick Casile. On or about 4th Feb. Dodwell, Carlill & Co SAN FRANCISCO NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL ... Brit. str. Lennox. Quick despatch. Shawan & Co. Kilvert Brit. str. NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL ... Fallodon Hall Quick despatch. Arnhold, Karberg & Co Chapman John R. Kelley Amor, sh. On 13th Feb. NEW YORK Carlowitz & Co. Rogers Amer. sh. Daniel Barnes Gibb, Livingston & Co., To-day, at Noon, NEW YORK Brit. str.\* Crair. SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, &c. On 5th Feb. Daylight. Menmuir . Butterfield & Swire. Brit. str. SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, &c ... Ching tu On 31st inst., at Noon. Brit, str. Hydaspes . SINGAPORE & BOMBAY On lat Feb. at 3 r.M. David Sassoon, Sons & Co. Brit. str. STRAITS & CALCUTTA ...... Lightning On or about 30th inst. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Kynoali Brit, str. SINGAPORE, S'RANG & S'BAYA Hinsang To-day at 1 P.M. Siemssen & Co. ... Ger. str. On 31st inst, at Noon. YOROHAMA & KOBE .. P. & O. S. N. Co. Brit. str. YOKOHAMA, VIA N'SAKI & KOBE. Verona ... To-morrow at 3 P.M. Butterfield & Swire Brit. str. Singan ..... To-morrow, at 3 P.M. Butterfield & Swire Blackburne's Brit. etr. SHANGHAT To-morrow, at 4 r.M. Siemssen & Co. ..... Honormann. Gor. str. On 1st Feb., at 4 P.M. Sismssen & Co. SHANGHAI Samuelsen Gor. str. On or about 10th Feb. Danhue ... P. & O. S. N. Co. SHANGHAI Brit. str. On 2nd Feb. Butterfield & Swire Sommerville Kansu To day, at 3 P.M. Butterfield & Swire Bennett SWATOW AND SHANGHAI Donglas Lapraik & Co. .. To-morrow, at Dayligh Bathurat Jardine Matheson & Co. To-day, at 5 P.M. SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO Waddilove MANILA DIBECT

> PENINSULAR & URIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

PESHAWUR. Noon, 30th Jan. ... See Special Advertisement.

SINGAPORE & BOMBAY ... HYDASPES ... Noon, 31st Jan .... (Freight or Passage. (Passing Y'HAMA, VIA N'SAKI & KOBE .... VERONA ... Noon, 31st Jan .. through the INLAND SEA. LONDON VIA MARSEILLES .. ADEN ...... About 7th Feb ..... Freight of Passage. 

> For Further Particulars, apply to ALF. WOOLLEY, Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, 29th January, 1896. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COY.'S

ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE. THE FAST ROUTE BETWEEN CHINA, JAPAN AND EUROPE, VIA CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES.

CALLING AT SHANGHAI NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA AND VICTORIA, B.C. PUNCTUALITY. Twin Screw Steamships-6,000 Tons-10,000 Horse-Power-Speed 19 knots:

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

EMPRESS OF INDIA...Comdr. H. Pybus, R.N.R. ..... WEDNESDAY, 19th Feb., 1896 EMPRESS OF JAPAN ... Comdr. Geo. A. Lee, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, 18th March, 1896 EMPRESS OF CHINA ... Comdr. R. Archibald, R.N.R. .... WEDNESDAY, 8th April, 1896

FINE magnificent Steamships of this Line poor through the famous INLAND SEA-OF JAPAN, and usually make the voyage YOKOHAMA TO VANCOUVER (B.C.) in 1 DAYS, making close connection at Vancouver with the PALATIAL TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAINS of the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY leaving there daily, and cross the Continent FROM THE PACIFIC TO THE ATLANTIC WITHOUT CHANGE. Close connection is made at Montreal, Quebec, Hulifax, New York and Boston with all Trans-Atlantic Lines, which passengers to Great Britain and the Continent are given choice of. Passengers Booked through to all principal points and AROUND THE WORLD. Return tickets to various points at reduced rates, Good for 4, 6, 9, and 12 months. SPECIAL RATES (First class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval,

Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and GIRCULAR PACIFIC TICKETS Hongkong to Vancouver, Vancouver to Sydney, Australia Horiolulu, and Sydney to Hougkong via Brishane and Torres Straits, Good for 9 months, £100 The attractive features of this Company's route embraces its PALATIAL STEAMSHIPS (second to none in the World), the LUXURIANCE OF ITS TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAINS (the Company having received the highest award for same at recent Chicago World's Exhibition), and the diversity of MAGNIFICENT MOUNTAIN AND LAKE SCENERY

through which the Line passes. THE DINING CARS and MOUNTAIN HOTELS of this route are ewned and operated by the Company, and their appointments and Cuisine are unexcelled. For further information, Maps, Guide Books, Rates of Passage, &c., apply to D. E. BROWN, General Agent. Pedder Street.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

FOR SHANGHAI.

" DAPHNE."

the above port on SATURDAY, the 1st Feb.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR

COLOMBO, ADEN,

SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN

AND BLACK SEA PORTS,

ALEXANDRIA,

MARSEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE, AND

BORDEAUX.

PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 5th February, at Noon, the Company's Steamship

"NATAL," Commandant Verron, with Mails,

Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this

Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lou-

don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in

transit through Marseilles for the principal

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M.

Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 4th

Feb. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they

must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents

For further Particulars, apply at the Com-

CLEN" LINE OF STFAM PACKETS

FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON

VIA SUEZ CANAL

"GLENESK,"

on or about WEDNESDAY, the 5th February.

For Freight or Passago, apply to

Hongkong, 24th January, 1896.

For Preight, apply to

FINE 100 Al British Ship

Hongkong, 15th January, 1895.

port and will have quick despatch

Hongkong, 6th December, 1895.

Captain Webster, will be desputched as above

Agents

FOR NEW YORK.

"DANIEL BARNES,"

FOR BAN TRANCISCO.

Forguson, Master, will lond hero for the above

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & CO.

BRODICK CASTLE,"

CARLOWITZ & CO.

JARDINE MATHESON & CO.,

C. TOURNAIRE,

Acting Agent.

and Value of Packages are required.

Hongkong, 24th January, 1896

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon,

Port for the above places.

pany's Office.

THE Steamship

places of Europe.

SINGAPORE,

STEMSSEN & CO...

BATAVIA

Captain J. Samuelson, will be despatched

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, 27th January, 1896.

THE Steamship

Hongkong, 23rd January, 1895. VESSELS ON THE BERTH OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. HE Company's Steamship

"ACHILLES," Captain Harvey, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 31st inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. HE Steamship

"LIGHTNING." Captain J. G. Spence, will be despatched for

the above ports on SATURDAY, the 1st prox., For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO., Hongkong, 27th January, 1896.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. FOR MARSEILLES. (Taking Cargo through to HAVEE and LONDON.) THE Steamship

"DORDOGNE," Captain A. Blanc, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 4th February. For Freight, apply to C. TOURNAIRE, Acting Agent.

Hongkong, 27th January, 1896. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

. "ORESTES." Captain Pulford, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 5th February. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. STEAM TO NATAL AND CAPE PORTS

THE NATAL DIRECT LINE FROM CALCUTTA (MESSES. BULLARD, KING & CO.'s LINE.) THE Undersigned having been appointed GENERAL AGENTS in CHINA and

JAPAN for the above Line are prepared to issue THROUGH BILLS of LADING for NATAL, EAST' LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH, MOSSEL BAY, CAPE TOWN, DELAGOA BAY, and BETEA. FTHE 3/3 L.I.J. American Ship Transhipment will be made at CALCUTTA Next sailing from CALCUTTA, S.S. "CONGELLA" on the 28th February, to Rogers, Master, will load here for the above be followed by the S.S. "PONGOLA" 21st port and will be despatched on the 13th March, 8.8. UMZINTO 15th April and February. thereafter every three weeks.

SPECIAL NOTICE. From FOOCHOW AND HONGKONG Direct to CAPE PORTS. PONGOLA " will load middle July. "CONGELLA" will load end August. For Freight and further Particulars, DODWELL CARLIEL & CO.

Men Long, 27th January, 1808.

General Agents for China and Japan.

GATION, COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL FITHE Company's Steamship "KAISOW, E. Warrall, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about the 30th inst. For Freight, apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO.

Hongkong, 15th January, 1896. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. NAPLES. GENOA. ANTWERP, BREMEN, AND HAMBURG. PORTS IN THE LEVANTE BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS;

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL-TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS. GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS. THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT

AND LUGGAGE. N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES IN RUSSIA. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION). KARISEUHE .... Tuesday 4th Feb. PRINZ HEINRICH ... | Tuesday ... | 3rd Mar. Tuesday ... 31st Mar. SACHSEN ..... Tuesday ... 28th Apr. Tuesday ... | 26th May. PRINT HEINEIGH. | Tuesday ... | 20th June. N TUESDAY, the 4th day of February, 1896, at 9 A.M., the Company's Steamship

"KARLSRUHE," Captain Walter, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, CALLING at NAPLES and GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon on SATURDAY, the 1st February, Cargo and Specie will be received on Board until 5 P.M. on Monday, the 3rd February, and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until NOON on MONDAY, the Brd February. Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed at less than \$2.50 and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement. The Steamer line splendid accommodation

and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess. Linen can be washed on board. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & CO., Hongkong, 14th January, 1898.

OREGON RAILWAY AND NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S PACIFIC STEAMSHIP LINE. CHINA AND JAPAN.

PROPUSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1896. (Subject to Alteration.) MOUNT LEBANON | Wednesday ... | 12th Feb. TAKING PASSENGERS AND CARGO FOR UNITED STATES AND CANADA AT THROUGH RATES. THE Steamshin

MOUNT LEBANON will be despatched hence for HONOLULU VICTORIA, B.C. and PORTLAND, OREGON, via KOBE and YOKOHAMA, or

the 12th February. Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Points should be in QUADRUPLICATE, and one Copy must be sant forward by the Steamer to the care of the GENERAL FREIGHT AGENT Oregon Railway and Navigation Co., Portland, For further information as to Passage and

Freight, apply to SHEWAN & CO. Hougkong, 28th January, 1896.

RICKMERS LINE,

LEGULAR MONTHLY SERVICE FROM BREMEN, MIDDLESBRO', ANTWER AND HAMBURG. VIA SUEZ CANAL. PENANG, SINGAPORE, HONGKONG SHANGHAI, HYOGO, AND

FROM HOME. PROPOSED SAILINGS OF THE NEW ELEGANT STEAMERS OF THE KICKMENS RICEMILIANG, SHIPOWNING, AND

SHIPBUILDING COMPANY OF BERMEN. (Subject to Auterations).

YOKOHAMA.:

OCCUPATE RICKMERS 3.846 December. Deike Hickmers .... 3,700 Janery. Maria Richmers .... 5,500 February. HELENE RICKMEES ..... 3,233 | Merch. SOPHIE RICKNES 3,249 April ELLEN RICKHERS 5,500 | May. ELISABETH RICKMERS .. | 5,500 | June. PROM THE EAST.

. .. PIN SINGAPORE O HAVRE, BREMEN, AND HAMBURG and other Continental Ports, if sufficient Indooment offers. (Taking Corgo at through rates to ANTWEEP, AMBIERDAM, and ROTTEDAM). PROPOSED HATLINGS.

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Hongkong, Sth January, 1896.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL (Following the 88. POLYPHEMUS). HE Stenmship

LENNOX " will be despatched about 4th February. S.S. PORT ADELAIDE "will be despaiched about 18th February. 3.8. "GHAZEE" will be despetched about 4th March. For Freight of Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & CO.

Agents. Hongkong, 6th January, 1893. U.S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STRAMSHIP

COMPANY. VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

CHINA (via Nagasaki, ) SATURDAY, Feb. 8, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yoko | 1896 at NOON. 1896, at Noon. hams, and Honelulu)...) PERU (via Nagasaki, ) SATURDAY, Feb. 22. Kobe, Inland Sea, and 1896, at Noon. Yokohama.) CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO THUESDAY, March. (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, and Yoko [ 12, 1896, at Noon.

hama.) THE U. S. Mail Steamship "CHINA" will be despatched for SAN FRAN-CISCO. VIA NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA. YOKOHAMA, and HONOLULU on SATURDAY, the 8th PRESULBY, 1896, at

Noon, taking Passengers and Freight for THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVI. Japan, the United States, and Europe. Steamers of this line pass through the IN LAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONO-LULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-land France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of steamers, and to the principal cities of

the United States or Canada. Rates may be chtained on application. Passengers holding through ORDERS TO SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, General Cargo. UNION PACIFIC, DENVER AND RIC GEARDS. and NORTHERN PACIFIC RATLWAYS; also the

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY on payment of £4 in addition to the regular tariff rate. Passengers holding orders for OVER-LAND CITIES in the United States have. between San Francisco and Chicago, the option of the Southern Pacific, Central Pacific, Union Pacific, DENVER AND BIO GRANDE and other direct connecting Railways, and from Chicago to destination the choice of direct lines. Particulars of the various routes can be had

on application. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS officials in service of China and Japan, and to House. Government officials and their families.

> Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railway, te Hayana, Trinided, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M.

> the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Office in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the

Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, Jo. 7, Praya Central. J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent: Hongkong, 27th January, 1896.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILROAD COMPANIES. VIA INLAND SEA of JAPAN. THE attention of passengers is directed

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ment Services. PROPOSED SAILINGS PROM HONGKONG. (Subject to Alteration).

VICTORIA ..... 3.167 Tuesday ... Fob. 11 3,594 | Tuesday | Mar. 10 TANOMA ...... 2,549 Tuesday | Apr. 7. VICTORIA ..... 3,167 Tuesday May 5 FINHE Steamship

Captain J. Panton, R. N.R., sailing at Noon, on TUESDAY, the 11th February, will proceed to SHANGHAL, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA, B.C. and TACOMA. Wash. Through Bills of Lading issued to Jupan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate, and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of the Freight Agent, Northern Pacific Rail road, Tacoma, Wash. Parcels must be sent to our Office (with address marked in full) by J.P.M. on the day previous to

"VICTORIA."

For further information as to Tassage or Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & CO., General Agents. Hongkong, 25th January, 1896. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON, HAMBURG, AND ANTWERP.
(To follow the S.S. "Glamobgansblue.") THE Steamship "MERIONETHSHIRE. Captain Davies, will be despatched for the above norts on WEDNESDAY, the 12th February. instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL CARLILL & CO. Agenta Hongkong, 29th January, 1896. DALATINE INSURANCE

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LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Hongkong, 2nd December, 1895. TU LET.

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TO LET. TOS. 4 & 5. STEWART TERRACE, THE PEAK either separately or as one For Particulars Apply to R. C. WILCOX,

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Hongkong, 3rd January, 1896. TO LET. WELLING HOUSES HOUSES in RIPON TERBACE. No. 17, LYNDHURST TERRACE. No. 10, STEWART TERRACE, at the Posk.

Top FLOOR of No. 4, Blue Buildings. Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY CO., LD. Hongkong, 17th January, 1896. HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE CO, LIMITED.

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quirements of intending Lessees.

Hongkong, 9th January, 1896. BOARD AND RESIDENCE. COMFORTABLY FURNISHED ROOMS, with Board. Apply to Mrs. MATHER, 2. Pedder's Hill.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1892. LAURNITURE WAREHOUSE. LI KWONG LOONG. CARINET-MAKER AND ART DECORATOR. from Shanghai, has opened 4 FURNITURE STORE

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